

WANTS

HOUSES TO RENT—One 3-room house to rent with one half acre garden. Apply here.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. L. F. Parker. 204-11

WANTED—Two traveling salesmen; 57 per month and expenses. Los Angeles Cider Co., St. Louis, Mo. 204-9

FOR RENT—A neat three-room cottage. Apply to W. H. Depute. 204-9

WANTED—Dining room girl. Experience not necessary. Uem Restaurant. 204-200

LOCAL NOTES

Miss May Kuhn is reported sick.

Mrs. Tom Davenport is quite sick.

All kinds of salt fish at Zeno's. 11

All kinds seed potatoes. Zeno. 33-11

See the line of floor oil cloth at Frazer's. 135-11

Mrs. Geo. McCulloch has been sick for several days.

The Chieftain will print your job cheaper.

A. S. Nottingham, of Eagle, was in town today.

For fresh garden seeds of all kinds go to Zeno. 23-11

Mrs. C. A. Preisig, of Big Cabin, was here today.

Herb Cox has a position on a railroad, in Nebraska.

A new line of leather novelties at People's Drug Store. 186-11

Percy Harris and Geo. Kapp went to the country today.

Mayor Davenport returned from Tablequah Sunday.

Special prices on dried fruits this week at Empire Cash Grocery. 206-11

Over one hundred tickets were sold to Neosho yesterday.

Michigan double strength pure apple vinegar at Empire Cash Grocery.

Bed room in Gray-Halsell building to rent at \$5 per month. Apply here.

A. L. Churchill is considering the subject of erecting another house in the city.

Try our Kenwood club cheese. Genuine New York full cream. Empire Cash Grocery. 206-11

The Presbyterian Sunday school is arranging for children's day exercises next Sabbath.

Dr. Esle Bondurant, physician and surgeon. Phone 280, Empire block, Vinita, I. T. 138-11

The children of the Congregational church are busy practicing for children's day next Sunday.

C. H. Mayberry, of Miles, is in town today. He reports everything flourishing in his neighborhood.

D. Hughes left this morning for the Creek where he will remain two doing photograph work.

Mrs. W. O. Nelms was able to call by telegram to her daughter, Mrs. Har, whose baby is quite ill.

Mrs. O. Masters has been elected delegate to the Junior Chamber of Commerce at Aurora next week.

No good health unless the kidneys are sound. Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys right. Sold by People's Drug Store. dw

The big drill for the deep well on East side is being unloaded and derrick is being erected. Within week the work of drilling will begin.

Mrs. Iona Miller will do your fancy work at reasonable prices. She can be at my home on South Main street. 188-11

Highest market price paid for counterpane at Empire Cash Grocery. am prepared to supply all of Madam's remedies, at my home. Mrs. De. 130-11

A good audience was present to witness the children's day at the Christian church last night. The little did well and the program was well appreciated by all.

Some sneak thief broke into the house of Mrs. David Taylor Saturday night. No one happened to be at the house and for what purpose he entered is not known, as nothing is missing.

Mrs. F. L. Soper came home from Springfield hospital last evening, returning again today. Her two children proved beneficial to the mother, but she is still quite weak.

It is reported that the Perry Lumber Co. has sold the north one of its houses in the northwest section of the city to Mr. T. R. Frear, of the Eastern Grocery Co. man. A Ber- bought the south one.

Bessie West returned from Ft. Dakota, where she had been for her daughter and husband for months. While in the Philippines she saw Arch Goodykoontz, who is in the army.

U. C. V. Reunion.

The U. C. V. Reunion, at Nashville, June 16, 17 and 18, the A. T. will make the following going and returning via Memphis. St. Louis, going and returning via St. Louis, going via St. Louis, returning via St. Louis. M. E. HELMS, Agt.

Phone 373

and have the Ice Cream wagon deliver what Ice cream you want.

No Ice Cream

delivered on Sunday unless ordered by Saturday evening.

Vinita Ice Cream Co.

No old goods, everything new at Empire Cash Grocery. 206-11

If you want a cab telephone Webb Brothers. Phone 82

George Mitchell was down from his upper Cabin creek farm today doing some trailing.

Try a sack of Our Choice flour, every sack guaranteed to be as good as the best. Zeno. 33-11

Lafayette Keen, brother-in-law of J. Newcomb, was visiting here today enroute home from St. Louis.

Cream Crisp, the best of all breakfast foods—try it. Empire Cash Grocery. 186-11

The Missionary society of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. J. E. Pershing tomorrow afternoon.

If you want the best meats you will find them at Zeno's, both homegrown and Kansas City meats. Phone 79. 11

Miss Bessie Hamilton will come over from Fairland to take the position as cashier at the Jumbo during May Bluejacket's absence.

On the first indication of kidney trouble, stop it by taking Foley's Kidney Cure. People's drug store. dw

Misses Minnie and Mildred Tucker, of Sulphur Springs, Ark., are expected to arrive today to visit relatives.

For picnics and lunches use Libby's canned meats. They are the best. Empire Cash Grocery. 206-11

On June 9 the Katy will make a rate of \$1.00 to St. Louis and return. Good on all regular trains. 204-123

G. W. Zinke has bought out the John Walker bakery and confection store on Wilson street and will open a candy factory soon.

Miss Winnie Meredith is prepared to do all kinds of fancy dressmaking at her home on South Wilson street, opposite U. S. jail. 100-11

W. T. Wade and wife, accompanied by Miss May Bluejacket, leave today for St. Louis to attend the World's fair.

Albums showing views of the St. Louis World's Fair can be bought of the Katy agent for 25c. These albums are absolutely free from all advertising. 102-11

Chronic bronchial troubles and summer coughs can be quickly relieved and cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. People's drug store. dw

Bermuda grass is being planted on the lawn about the Presbyterian church, and a brick side walk is to be laid around the building.

Miss Bessie Powell, an accomplished young lady of Columbia, Mo., returned to her home Saturday night after a week's visit in Vinita. Miss Powell thinks of investing in Vinita real estate.

The editor of this paper highly appreciates his exchange list and reads them all closely. The news takes more from the Daily Chieftain than any other from the fact that it is fresher news and always reliable, not saying that the others are not reliable. —Bluejacket News.

Tax on Babies

Extreme hot weather is a great tax upon the digestive power of babies; when puny and feeble they should be given a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge, the children's tonic. It will stimulate and facilitate the digestion of their food, so that they soon become strong, healthy and active. 25c at People's drug store. dw

Summer Tours

To mountain, lake and seaside resorts. On sale beginning June 1st. See Katy's agent for particulars.

Strawberries

\$1.25 Per Crate

are as cheap as they will be this season. If you intend preserving any, leave your order at once. You will get Nice Fresh Stock.

Don't forget we handle only Kansas City corn fed.

Meats

Our large new refrigerator is in place and we are prepared to furnish you meats that you can eat without a frown. Also spring chickens.

Groceries

of all kinds are fresh and reasonable in price. We respectfully solicit your patronage, guaranteeing full weights and every thing as represented.

We pay cash for country produce.

Curd Grocery & Market

(Weir Bros. old stand. Phone 184.)

IN THE PHILIPPINE GROUP.

Small Islands That Have Histories Full of Interest for the Hunter of the Curious.

It is probable that the Philippine Islands are more quaintly enriched with queer corners than any other of this country's foreign possessions. Among the interesting spots that have up to now escaped the hunter after curious things might be mentioned the little island of Santa Maria, says the New York Herald.

Up to a short time ago here lived an old datto, who had numerous pretty wives; in fact so old and ugly was the datto and so pretty the wives that the latter indulged in affairs of the heart when the latter was not around. Two of the wives in particular were often to be seen driving around the streets, followed at a respectable distance by their love-sick Romeo.

One night there was a row at the datto's harem and the two wives mysteriously disappeared. This came to the ears of the officer commanding the American troops and the datto was asked to explain where the wives were. "They dead," he grunted laconically. "What caused them to die at the same time?"

"Head chopee off," was the terse reply.

It was further explained that the small island called Santa Maria had been carefully set aside by the datto's forefathers as a death place for his unfaithful wives. The investigation which followed disclosed that Santa Maria was a veritable Bluebeard's chamber, the key to which was held by a Filipino lord high executioner, who lived there. The island is only a strip of land, but in a secluded corner the American officers found a grewsome pile of heads tied together by the hair in artistic bunches of two and three.

Another interesting little island is Bengao, which is one of the southernmost of the Philippine group, being only a few miles from British North Borneo. Under the Spanish regime it was inhabited by a mixed breed of murderous Moros, treacherous Malays and others with a dash of the piratical blood of Borneo.

The American soldiers had considerable trouble with these people at the beginning of the war. The pirates stole everything that happened to be lying loose, particularly guns; stabbed men in the back merely as a matter of piratical principle, and when things grew a bit dull they turned to and "smoked up" their own island.

The only time of real peace in the place was when the pirates launched their war canoes and put to sea armed to the teeth. They usually returned a week later with considerable quantities of loot and proceeded forthwith to get gloriously drunk and raise more trouble.

The Luneta, in Manila, under the Spanish regime might well have laid claim to being one of the queerest corners of the globe. It was the custom of the old government to execute Filipino malefactors here, and such events were characterized by much ice cream and many brass bands.

The announcement would be made that five or six natives were to be executed for various offenses. The island aristocracy would drive from all quarters to witness the "sport."

The band would strike up. At the end of the overture a whisper would dart through the lines of carriages. There would be dead silence. Then a mysterious melancholy "chump" would announce that one Filipino malefactor had parted company with his head.

Once more the band of the brass band. Ice cream and other refreshments would be handed around. The latest scandal in official life would be discussed. Then a pause—tense excitement for a moment—and another Filipino would go in search of his head. The bull fight is certainly more compared with the sport of chopping off heads.

CURIOUS FIND IN MANILA.

Ancient Tome Written with Odd Flourishes and Bearing Stamp of Royalty.

Among the ancient documents compiled by the Spanish authorities, and now in possession of the American city officials is a very interesting old tome, written entirely by hand, many of its pages bearing the royal seal and stamp, with the customary proxy signatures of the household, says the Manila Times. As its frontispiece this old book, which dates back to 1574, has a drawing of the arms of the city of Manila, together with the king's gracious decree that the city might assume and bear forever the title of "my noble and always loyal city," as the royal property. With many a quaint old flourish and sweep the decree is introduced and embellished, and in it the areas of the city are described, following which description the frontispiece was carefully drawn and inked by some long-passed servant of "his Catholic majesty."

The arms are curious. On a shield, in its upper half, is imposed a castellated bastion in the shape of a turret, pierced, bearing on its battlemented top three small turrets exactly like the larger one. In the lower half of the coat, or shield, is a fish, rampant, with a peculiar sort of arrowhead, and holding out one forepaw—for the creature seems to partake of mammal, as well as piscatorial nature—a spear vertical. The fish-mammal stares straight out with basilisk eyes, as if guarding the tower above him on shore.

Trial by Jury in Porto Rico.

Five years ago Porto Rico did not possess that foundation stone of liberty, the right of trial by jury, while now it does. To secure this right other people have waded through rivers of blood.

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We are making a strong bid for the ladies' \$2.50 shoe business and have crowded the line until we can show you 18 styles in this priced shoe and slippers. All leathers, welted and turned soles. We can surely please you in style—the value we guarantee

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Office at Walton Lumber Co.
Vinita, I. T.

Northern District Court Dates.

VINITA—January 11.
TABLEQUAH—Third Monday in March.
MIAMI—First Monday in March.
NOWATA—Fourth Monday in November. Fourth Monday in February.
FRYON CREEK—First Monday in December. Second Monday in March.
SALLISAW—Second Monday in December. Third Monday in April.
CLAREMORE—First Monday in January. First Monday in April.

Having been tied up so that I could not do any business for the past ten days, by the strong arm of Vinita's mayor, he being backed and coached by the retail grocers to drive me out of business, there has accumulated \$5,000 worth of fine Groceries, Provisions, Flour, Meal, Chops, Bran, Salt, etc. I will offer these goods tomorrow in lots to suit the purchaser at prices which will make these combination people wonder how its done. Come and buy where you get the very best of everything and where \$1 will buy as much as will \$2 from the combination grocers.

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